alumina-rich ore bodies, in the lateritic upland geomorphological division of the Darling Plateau, each contain 10 to 25 Mt, and the total economic bauxite resource is estimated at over 3500 M:

Hickman A H, Smurthwaite A J, Brown I M & Davy R C 1992 Bauxite mineralization in the Darling Range, Western Australia. Western Australia Geological Survey Report 33.

Note from the Hon Editor: This column helps to link the various disciplines and inform others of the broad spectrum of achievements of WA scientists (or others writing about WA). Contributions to "Recent Advances in Science in Western Australia" are welcome, and may include papers that have caught your attention or that you believe may interest other scientists in Western Australia and abroad. Papers in refereed journals, or books, chapters and

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P C Withers, Hon Editor, Journal of the Royal Society of WA.

Errata

Alphabetic letters with diacritical marks were inadvertently not printed in Volume 75 Part 3, but were replaced by a space. The correct authority names for species were:

Kyphosus sydneyanus Günther (page 67) Lupinus digitalis Forskål (title page, pages 83-88)

The correct journal name for the reference, Tuschnjakowa (1935), on page 88 was:

Der Züchter